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**U.S. District Court**  
**District of Columbia (Washington, DC)**  
**CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:18-cv-00824-RC**

CAMPAIGN LEGAL CENTER v. U.S. IMMIGRATION AND  
CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT

Assigned to: Judge Rudolph Contreras  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 04/10/2018  
Date Terminated: 03/06/2019  
Jury Demand: None  
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of  
Information Act  
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
04/10/2018	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against U.S. IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT ( Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number 0090-5415688) filed by CAMPAIGN LEGAL CENTER. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit 1, # <u>2</u> Exhibit 2, # <u>3</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>4</u> Summons as to Attorney General of the United States, # <u>5</u> Summons as to U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement, # <u>6</u> Summons as to U.S. Attorney)(Gaber, Mark) (Attachment 3 replaced on 4/11/2018) (jd) (Entered: 04/10/2018)
04/10/2018	<u>2</u>	LCvR 7.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by CAMPAIGN LEGAL CENTER (Gaber, Mark) (Entered: 04/10/2018)

04/10/2018		Case Assigned to Judge Rudolph Contreras. (jd) (Entered: 04/12/2018)
04/12/2018	<u>3</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to U.S. IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General. (Attachment: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(jd) (Entered: 04/12/2018)
04/17/2018	<u>4</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT served on 4/16/2018 (Gaber, Mark) (Entered: 04/17/2018)
04/17/2018	<u>5</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 04/17/2018. (Gaber, Mark) (Entered: 04/17/2018)
04/17/2018	<u>6</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 4/17/2018. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 5/17/2018. (Gaber, Mark) (Entered: 04/17/2018)
04/21/2018	<u>7</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Benton Gregory Peterson on behalf of U.S. IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT (Peterson, Benton) (Entered: 04/21/2018)
05/15/2018	<u>8</u>	MOTION for Extension of Time to File by U.S. IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Peterson, Benton) (Entered: 05/15/2018)
05/15/2018	<u>9</u>	RESPONSE re <u>8</u> MOTION for Extension of Time to File filed by CAMPAIGN LEGAL CENTER. (Gaber, Mark) (Entered: 05/15/2018)
05/15/2018		MINUTE ORDER granting <u>8</u> Plaintiff's Motion for Extension of Time: It is hereby ORDERED that Plaintiff shall have until and including June 18, 2018 to respond to the Complaint. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Rudolph Contreras on May 15, 2018. (lcrc3) (Entered: 05/15/2018)
05/22/2018		Set/Reset Deadlines: Answer due by 6/18/2018. (tj) (Entered: 05/22/2018)
06/18/2018	<u>10</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by U.S. IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT.(Peterson, Benton) (Entered: 06/18/2018)
06/19/2018		MINUTE ORDER: It is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall meet and confer, and submit a proposed briefing schedule on or before July 3, 2018. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Rudolph Contreras on June 19, 2018. (lcrc3) (Entered: 06/19/2018)
06/20/2018		Set/Reset Deadlines: Proposed Briefing Schedule due by 7/3/2018 (tj) (Entered: 06/20/2018)
06/30/2018	<u>11</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by CAMPAIGN LEGAL CENTER. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Gaber, Mark) (Entered: 06/30/2018)
07/02/2018		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>11</u> the parties' joint status report, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall submit another joint status report on or before August 3, 2018. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Rudolph Contreras on July 2, 2018. (lcrc3) (Entered: 07/02/2018)
07/02/2018		Set/Reset Deadlines: Status Report due by 8/3/2018 (tj) (Entered: 07/02/2018)
08/03/2018	<u>12</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by CAMPAIGN LEGAL CENTER. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Gaber, Mark) (Entered: 08/03/2018)
08/03/2018		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>12</u> the parties' Joint Status Report, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall file another status report on or before September 7, 2018. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Rudolph Contreras on August 3, 2018. (lcrc3) (Entered: 08/03/2018)
08/06/2018		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 9/7/2018 (hs) (Entered: 08/06/2018)
09/07/2018	<u>13</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by CAMPAIGN LEGAL CENTER. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Gaber, Mark) (Entered: 09/07/2018)

09/07/2018		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>13</u> the parties' Joint Status Report, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall file another joint status report on or before October 8, 2018. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Rudolph Contreras on September 7, 2018. (lcrc3) (Entered: 09/07/2018)
09/12/2018		Set/Reset Deadlines: Status Report due by 10/8/2018 (tj) (Entered: 09/12/2018)
10/08/2018	<u>14</u>	STATUS REPORT by CAMPAIGN LEGAL CENTER. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Gaber, Mark) (Entered: 10/08/2018)
10/09/2018	<u>15</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT ( <i>Revised</i> ) by CAMPAIGN LEGAL CENTER. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Gaber, Mark) (Entered: 10/09/2018)
10/09/2018		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>15</u> the parties' Joint Status Report, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall file another joint status report on or before November 2, 2018. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Rudolph Contreras on October 9, 2018. (lcrc3) (Entered: 10/09/2018)
11/02/2018	<u>16</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by CAMPAIGN LEGAL CENTER. (Noti, Adav) (Entered: 11/02/2018)
11/05/2018		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>16</u> the parties' Joint Status Report, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall file another joint status report, including a proposed briefing schedule, on or before January 8, 2019, if the matter has not been dismissed by that date. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Rudolph Contreras on November 5, 2018. (lcrc3) (Entered: 11/05/2018)
01/08/2019	<u>17</u>	STATUS REPORT by CAMPAIGN LEGAL CENTER. (Gaber, Mark) (Entered: 01/08/2019)
01/24/2019		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>17</u> Plaintiff's Status Report, it is hereby ORDERED that Defendant shall respond to Plaintiff's settlement offer no later than 48 hours after appropriations are restored to the Department of Justice. It is FURTHER ORDERED that the parties shall provide this Court with a joint status report regarding this matter no later than 7 days after appropriations are restored. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Rudolph Contreras on January 24, 2019. (lcrc3) (Entered: 01/24/2019)
02/01/2019	<u>18</u>	STATUS REPORT by CAMPAIGN LEGAL CENTER. (Gaber, Mark) (Entered: 02/01/2019)
02/01/2019		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>18</u> the parties' Joint Status Report, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall submit another joint status report on or before March 4, 2019. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Rudolph Contreras on February 1, 2019. (lcrc3) (Entered: 02/01/2019)
02/05/2019		Set/Reset Deadlines: Status Report due by 3/4/2019 (tj) (Entered: 02/05/2019)
02/05/2019		Set/Reset Deadlines: Status Report due by 3/4/2019 (tj) (Entered: 02/05/2019)
02/15/2019	<u>19</u>	NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL by Christopher Charles Hair on behalf of All Defendants (Hair, Christopher) (Entered: 02/15/2019)
03/04/2019	<u>20</u>	STIPULATION of Dismissal by CAMPAIGN LEGAL CENTER. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order Adopting Stipulation of Dismissal as Order of Court)(Gaber, Mark) (Entered: 03/04/2019)
03/04/2019	<u>21</u>	ORDER adopting <u>20</u> the parties' Joint Stipulation of Settlement and Dismissal With Prejudice. See document for details. Signed by Judge Rudolph Contreras on March 4, 2019. (lcrc3) (Entered: 03/04/2019)